

## Visit Beautiful Morehead City



Photo by Jerry Schumacher

One of Morehead City's attractions is this disreputable spot located on the main street leading to the state port. It's an attraction, all right. Visitors and a few natives look at it and gasp, "Why do they let such a junk heap exist?" Not only is this a collection spot for all kinds of junk which accumulates on land, but for almost

a year it has been the resting spot of the shipwrecked freighter, Omar Babun, which can be seen in the background. The freighter has been declared a hazard to the channel leading to the Morehead City Yacht Basin. Owners of the wrecked buildings have been asked to move them, but haven't done so.

# Plaintiff Wins Eudy-Moore Case; Court Continues Today

## Blaze Seriously Damages Smyrna Teacherage Monday

The jury returned a verdict yesterday afternoon in favor of Mrs. Lounette Eudy, Beaufort, in the case against Leslie and Eric Moore, trading as The Fashion Shop, Beaufort. The case started in Superior Court Wednesday. By virtue of the verdict, Mrs. Eudy will receive \$910 in back salary.

The court session over which Judge Malcolm Paul is presiding, will continue today.

Mrs. Eudy claims that she had been hired by the Moores as manager of their shop for a two-year period, with the following conditions: She was to receive \$37.50 per week, she was to have one week vacation with pay, one week sick leave with pay, to have a 20 per cent discount on everything she bought at the store for herself and her daughter, and was to receive 1 per cent override on everything sold over \$60,000 gross at the end of the first year.

**Change Made**  
As to the discount, she testified that this was changed about two months after she started working, so that she paid cost for all outer clothing such as dresses, suits and coats.

The Moores claimed in court that she had been hired on a one-year basis, with an adjustment to be made in her salary at the end of the first year, either up or down depending upon the business done by the store.

**Cut Announced**  
In her testimony, Mrs. Eudy stated that on the last Friday in October in 1954, less than a year after she had started working at The Fashion Shop, she was told that if she stayed on at the end of the first year she'd have to take a cut to \$30 per week. She said that she told Leslie Moore at that time that he wasn't living up to their two-year agreement.

According to her testimony, and Mr. Moore's, she was told at that time so that she could find other employment if the arrangement wasn't to her liking.

She then obtained employment at Potter's, a Beaufort dress shop, where she was paid \$40 per week as a clerk. Her suit against the Moores, which was instituted by her attorney Claud Wheatly, Nov. 26, 1954, was to recover the difference in pay between the \$37.50 she was supposed to receive from The Fashion Shop for one year and the \$40 per week she received from Potter's.

**Starts Work**  
She started her employment at The Fashion Shop on Dec. 7, 1953, after having two conversations with Leslie Moore in front of her home, and one at the shop with Leslie, Eric Moore and Leslie's wife in attendance, she told the court.

She showed in court a piece of paper, upon which Leslie Moore had written the terms of the agreement and which stated that she was to receive a week's vacation for the first year and two weeks thereafter.

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### Save a Life!

\$500!



Your contributions can send this thermometer up to \$500, the minimum amount needed to purchase a resuscitator for Bogue Banks. For more details on this Life-Saving Fund, initiated as the result of the drowning of college student Virginia Capps, see editorial page 1 section 2.

## Police Captain Finishes Course

Capt. Buck Newsome of the Morehead City Police Department has successfully completed a course in typewriting and handwriting analysis, firearms, fingerprinting, photography and criminal investigation.

Captain Newsome was notified yesterday by T. D. Cooke, director



Capt. Buck Newsome ... now a graduate

## Two Marines Hurt As Cars Smash

Two Cherry Point Marines were injured in a four-car smash-up at 32nd and Arendell St., Morehead City, at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday. One of the Marines, Nicholas Ralnikow, was driver of a 1953 Ford convertible, and the other Marine, unidentified, was riding with him.

The unidentified passenger was taken to Cherry Point dispensary for treatment of a badly injured right foot and leg which was dragged along the street when the car door opened. The car skid one hundred feet, according to Patrolman Walter Thomas, who investigated.

Ralnikow suffered a chest injury. The convertible had four other passengers in it. They were taken to the Morehead City Hospital in the Dill ambulance and then to Cherry Point. The convertible was demolished.

Driver of a 1951 Buick, which police say Ralnikow tried to pass on the right, was Clyde D. Edwards, 1203 1/2 Shaekleford Ave., Morehead City. With him was his wife, Damage to the Buick was estimated at \$75.

The other two cars involved were parked on Arendell Street. One, a Pontiac owned by William Lippman, 1022 Hibbs St., Greensboro, was damaged to the extent of \$1,500. That was struck first by the convertible and the second to be struck was a 1950 Ford parked in front of the Pontiac. The Ford is owned by Bernard W. Weber, 3203 Arendell. Its damage was estimated at \$300.

The parked cars were headed east. Ralnikow was also headed east. He has been charged with careless and reckless driving.

## Woman Driver Pleads Guilty

Defendant Pays \$100, Costs, Given 90-Day Suspended Sentence

Mrs. Dandy Moore Guthrie pled guilty to driving drunk before Judge Herbert Phillips in Morehead City Recorder's Court Monday and was fined \$100 and costs. She was given a suspended 90-day jail sentence on condition that she be on good behavior for one year.

Philemon Shaw Becton was fined \$250 and costs for driving after his license had been revoked. He was given a suspended six-month roads sentence on condition that he be on good behavior for two years.

Charges of operation of a motor vehicle after his license had been revoked, against William B. Tedesco, and aiding and abetting in illegal operation of motor vehicle against Frank G. Pearson, were transferred to Superior Court when both defendants requested jury trials.

Joseph Smith was fined \$25 and costs for no operator's license and following too closely, with the full fine to be remitted provided he obtains corrective eye glasses within one month.

Fines of \$25 and costs, with the full fine to be remitted provided the defendants present valid licenses within two weeks, were levied against Lester D. Eubanks, Ernest Robert Butler Jr. and Dora Mann, all charged with no operator's license.

Harrison Horton, charged with being drunk and disorderly, destroying property and assault on a 17-month-old baby, forfeited bond and a warrant was issued for his apprehension.

Costs were assessed against Donald L. Bell, speeding, and Irvin Walter Whitehurst, public drunkenness.

Charges of operating a motor vehicle after his license had been revoked, operating a truck after his license had been revoked and selling produce without a peddler's license against Rollins Douglas Mumford were left open for future prosecution.

Charges of no operator's license against Arthur Ray Robinson and no license plates on vehicle, against Dave Strickland, were dropped.

Alexander McKinley Jones was found not guilty of speeding. Cases were continued against Lon Piner, Leamon Wynn, George V. Mintzner, Clarence Medlin, Richard W. Adams, and Joe Nathan Gaskins.

## County Requests \$372,871 To Drain Farmland Streams

Carteret is requesting \$372,871.06 in federal Civil Defense funds for emergency drainage of agricultural lands.

The opportunity to ask for money to finance clearance of streams, clogged by last fall's hurricanes, is now closed. Farmers whose lands were affected by the storms as a result of poor stream drainage contacted Gray Hassell, consultant engineer for the county, if they wanted the situation corrected.

The money which the county hopes to get for agriculture drainage cannot be used to repair shorelines, build jetties or any other project of that type. Mr. Hassell said he had a difficult time explaining to some persons that this present application is for correction of farmland drainage only.

Civil Defense is not even sure that the money will be available. An extra six million dollars has been included in a Congressional bill appropriating Civil Defense funds, but it is not earmarked for any particular state. It is merely hoped that the money will come to North Carolina because the extra amount was included at the request of the North Carolina delegation.

The request for Carteret is broken down by streams and includes Newport River, on which an extensive survey was made by the Soil Conservation department.

Filling out of the applications for Carteret's request was underway yesterday. The application will be taken to Thomasville, Ga., by Earl Mader of the FCDA. Thomasville is headquarters for Civil Defense region 3 which includes North Carolina.

## Newport Rotary Club Sees Movie Monday

Walter Robertson, insurance representative, showed a film on fire prevention at the weekly meeting of the Newport Rotary Club Monday night at the Community Building.

Mr. Robertson was introduced by program chairman Lloyd Garner.

C. S. Long, program chairman for the coming year, offered 25 topics to the club members from which they chose their favorites.

## Second County-Wide Fire School Will Start Monday

### Jaycees Discuss July Projects

Danforth Hill, president of the Beaufort Jaycees, reminded committee chairmen of their July projects at the meeting Monday night at the Scout building.

James Steed and John Jones are in charge of the reflector tape Lite-a-Bumper Sale which will take place the first part of July.

Also in the early part of next month the Jaycees will sponsor their car wash. Tommy Potter is chairman of the money-raising project.

He is also in charge of the Jaycee weenie roast July 18. In charge of the July membership drive is Ronald Earl Mason.

The Jaycees discussed the \$2,100 football debt still outstanding. Bonds fall due in 1958. They decided to aim for raising \$700 each year for the next three years to pay the debt off. The football report was presented by Mr. Steed.

Ralph Albares, chairman, reported on the beauty pageant. The pageant has been scheduled for next Friday night, June 29. The Jaycees are hoping to get permission to have the show in the Beaufort Theatre.

### Agassiz Crew, Guests To Attend Party Tuesday

Crew members of the Coast Guard cutter Agassiz and invited guests will attend a ship's party at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the American Legion hut, Beaufort. Eighty persons are expected.

There will be a fried chicken dinner, followed by dancing. Assisting the Coast Guardsmen in arrangements for the party were Mayor George Dill, Morehead City, Wilbur Garner, Newport, El Nelson, Morehead City, and White Ice Cream and Milk Co.

### News in a Nutshell

**INTERNATIONAL**  
A CRIPPLED VENEZUELAN airliner, dumping its heavy load of gasoline in a grim struggle for survival, exploded early Wednesday and plunged into the Atlantic Ocean. All 74 persons aboard perished. It was the world's worst disaster on a regular airline flight.

**DEFENSE MINISTER** Georgi Zhukov of Russia assured Yugoslav President Tito Wednesday that the Soviet Union would fight "shoulder to shoulder" with Communist Yugoslavia in any future war.

**NATIONAL**  
PRESIDENT EISENHOWER is expected to issue a new statement on his second-term intentions after he leaves Walter Reed Army Hospital, a White House official has announced.

**Tax Notices Go Out**  
The majority of Beaufort's tax notices have been mailed out. Dan Walker, town clerk, said all should be in the hands of town residents by the beginning of next week.

The second annual County-Wide Fire School will get underway Monday night at the Morehead City fire station with registration starting at 6:30 p.m.

All county firemen, members of the Down East Department, Beaufort, Morehead City, Newport and Atlantic Beach, are eligible to attend.

The school will consist of nightly sessions next week, ending with a dinner. The night sessions will start at 7:30 and will be held on different nights at Beaufort and Morehead City.

Conducting the week's course will be Capt. Otis Dowdy, head of the training department, Charlotte Fire Department. Captain Dowdy conducted the county's first fire school last fall.

Men who took last year's course and also complete this year's course will be given cards indicating that they have attended the second session. All those who take the training will receive cards at the dinner.

Every fireman in the county is invited to enroll.

### Marker Making Stops Temporarily

Making of concrete street markers in Beaufort has had to be stopped temporarily because the proper kind of cement is not available for the markers.

Dan Walker, town clerk, said that the master list for numbering of houses has not been prepared as yet and it is not known when the new house numbers will be assigned.

The numbering will follow a plan recommended by the League of Municipalities which designates Pollock Street as the dividing line between streets running east and west. Persons living east of Pollock will live on "East Ann Street," for example, and those living west of Pollock will be on "West Ann Street."

Pollock Street is the dividing line between old and new town.

### Harry Locky to Serve As Soil Supervisor

Harry Locky, Newport, has been recommended to replace Floyd Garner, Newport, on the county board of soil supervisors.

Mr. Locky will serve the unexpired term of Mr. Garner who resigned Jan. 16. The unexpired term, according to David Jones, soil conservationist, is one year.

### Tide Table

Tides at the Beaufort Bar		
HIGH	Friday, June 22	LOW
7:36 a.m.		1:41 a.m.
7:54 p.m.		1:35 p.m.
Saturday, June 23		
8:17 a.m.		2:20 a.m.
8:31 p.m.		2:14 p.m.
Sunday, June 24		
8:56 a.m.		2:56 a.m.
9:08 p.m.		2:53 p.m.
Monday, June 25		
9:33 a.m.		3:31 a.m.
9:42 p.m.		3:30 p.m.
Tuesday, June 26		
10:11 a.m.		4:05 a.m.
10:18 p.m.		4:07 p.m.

**TOBACCO GROWERS** were warned Wednesday that manufacturing processes for "synthetic" leaf could displace as much as 18 to 22 per cent of total flue-cured production.

**MOSQUITOES** were given a \$100,000 jolt on Wednesday as President Eisenhower authorized the Federal Civil Defense Director "to make additional specific allotment of funds" to North Carolina for areas hit by hurricanes last year.